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LIVE POULTRY RECEIPTS - NEW YORK*
(POUNDS)

	:	:	TRUCK	:	TRUCK & EXPRESS:	:	TRUCK	:	TOTAL		
	:	:	FREIGHT	:	DEALERS AT	:	(DIRECT	:	LONG ISLAND	:	RAIL & TRUCK
	:	:		:	TERMINAL	:	RECEIVERS)	:	DUCKS	:	
Dec. 20, 1943	:	:	73,171	:	336,661	:	420,302	:	11,000	:	841,134
SAME DAY LAST Wk	:	:	126,888	:	158,127	:	234,221	:	2,600	:	521,836

*COMPILED FROM DEPARTMENT OF MARKETS, WEIGHTMASTER REPORTS

NEW YORK: FREIGHT RECEIPTS WERE LIBERAL WITH 16 CARS REPORTED ON TRACK, PLUS 7 POSSIBLY 10 CARS, DUE. TRADING ACTIVE ON ALL OFFERINGS OF FOWL, CHICKENS CAPONS, DUCKS, GEESE AND TURKEYS WITH BUYERS EAGERLY PURCHASING SUPPLIES IN AN EFFORT TO SATISFY CONSUMERS DEMAND. MARKET STRONGER. MOST SALES WERE DIFFICULT TO QUOTE AS PURCHASES WERE MADE BUT DEALERS EITHER REFUSED OR DID NOT TELL BUYERS THE PRICE OF THE VARIOUS CLASSES OF POULTRY BOUGHT. COLORED FOWL A MOSTLY 33, SOME SALES 34 POSSIBLY 35, LEGHORN FOWL A UNQUOTED, COLORED CHICKENS A 33-34, LEGHORN CHICKENS UNQUOTED, DUCKS UNQUOTED, GEESE A 32-33, SOME ASKING PRICES HIGHER, CAPONS UNQUOTED, YOUNG TURKEYS UNQUOTED; ROOSTERS A-24½. TRUCK RECEIPTS WERE LIBERAL. THE DEMAND WAS ACTIVE ON ALL OFFERINGS OF FOWL, YEARLINGS, PULLETS, SPRINGS AND MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS AND SUPPLIES WERE WELL CLEARED AT THE CLOSE. MARKET STRONGER ESPECIALLY FOR YEARLINGS LARGE PULLETS AND CHICKENS, AS WELL AS MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS SUCH AS DUCKS, CAPONS, CAPON SLIPS AND A FEW YOUNG TURKEYS. FOLLOWING ARE WHOLESALE SELLING PRICES AS REPORTED BY THE TRADE ON THIS MORNING'S TRUCK AND EXPRESS MARKET: COLORED FOWL A 36, YEARLINGS A 36-38, HIGH 39, LEGHORN FOWL A 28½-30, BROILERS, FRYERS AND ROASTERS-ROCKS A UNQUOTED, WHITE ROCKS A 30, CROSSES A 32-34, MOSTLY 33, LARGE 34-36, MOSTLY 35-36; REDS A 32-34, SMALL 28-30, MOSTLY 30; LEGHORNS A UNQUOTED; PULLETS RANGED FROM 35-42, ACCORDING TO SIZE AND BREED CLASSIFICATIONS; DUCKS UNQUOTED; FEW YOUNG TURKEYS UNQUOTED; CAPONS UNQUOTED; CAPON SLIPS UNQUOTED; RABBITS A MOSTLY 30; SQUABS AND PIGEONS A 35-40, FEW PICKOUTS HIGHER. STATE OF ORIGIN AND NUMBER OF CARS ARE AS FOLLOWS: ARKANSAS 1, ILLINOIS 6, INDIANA 4, KENTUCKY 2, TENNESSEE 3 PLUS 7, POSSIBLY 10 UNKNOWN. THE 49½ TRUCK LOADS DELIVERED TO DEALERS UP TO 12 NOON INCLUDED: 25 DEL. CROSS, 3 DEL. CROSS PULLETS, 2 CONN. CROSS, 1 MD. CROSS, ¼ PENN. CROSS, 1 CONN. ROCK, 1 N.Y. WHITE ROCK PULLETS, 1 DEL. RED PULLETS, ½ DEL. RED, ¾ N.Y. RED AND CROSS PULLETS, ½ PENN. REDS, 1½ DEL. BLACK PULLETS, ½ N.Y. BLACK PULLETS, 2¼ N.Y. MIXED PULLETS, 1 DEL. LEGHORN, ½ N.Y. CROSS AND REDS, ½ VERMONT MIXED PULLETS, ¾ N.Y. MIXED SPRINGS AND PULLETS, 1½ PENN. MIXED, TOTAL 44½ SPRINGS; ½ N.Y. DUCKS, FEW PENN. CAPONS AND SLIPS; 1 CONN. RED AND BLACK, ½ VT. MIXED, 1¼ N.Y. LEGHORN AND COLORED, 1¼ PENN. COLORED AND LEGHORN, TOTAL 4½ FOWL, PLUS 1 N.Y. CROSS, 1 VIRGINIA CROSS AND 1 VIRGINIA UNCLASSIFIED SPRINGS DUE. DIRECT RECEIVERS RECEIVED UP UNTIL LATE MORNING 262,041 POUNDS.

PHILADELPHIA: MARKET VERY FIRM ON ALL CLASSES OF GOOD TO FANCY QUALITY POULTRY.

GRADE C ARRIVALS, ESPECIALLY SMALL BROILERS NOT WANTED AND FAILED TO CLEAR ON OFFERINGS AS LOW AS 8¢ PER LB. SUPPLIES OF FANCY FOWL AND ROASTING CHICKENS FAILED TO SUPPLY THE INCREASED DEMAND WHILE DUCKS, GEESE AND TURKEYS WERE FAR SHORT OF REQUIREMENTS. WHOLESALE SELLING PRICES ON GRADE A QUALITY: FOWL 28-28½, ROASTERS 31½-32, FRYERS 31-32, BROILERS 30-32, OLD ROOSTERS AND STAGS 22-23½, GEESE 29-29½, DUCKS, PEKIN 28, MUSCOVY WHITES 28, MIXED COLORS AND BLACK 26-27, YOUNG TURKEYS 39-39½. RECEIPTS DEC. 20, 86,852 LBS. CORRESPONDING DAY LAST WEEK: 117,570 LBS (INCLUDES POULTRY TO BE DRESSED FOR LOCAL AND INTER-MARKET DISTRIBUTION)

BOSTON: PRICES ALL UNCHANGED. LIVE FOWL CONTINUES FIRM WITH SUPPLIES ON THE WHOLE SHORT OF FULL REQUIREMENTS. DEMAND GOOD. LARGE CHICKENS RULED FULL STEADY TO FIRM WITH A GOOD DEMAND QUITE GENERALLY REPORTED. SMALL CHICKENS WERE IN FULL AMPLE SUPPLY AND MOST DEALERS REPORTED AN INDIFFERENT DEMAND. NO LIVE TURKEYS NOTED ON THE MARKET.

BALTIMORE: RECEIPTS OF FANCY LOTS ALL KINDS CHICKENS LIGHT, MARKET FIRM FOR FANCY LOTS, LARGE YOUNG AND HEAVY FOWL VERY DULL ON ORDINARY CHICKENS. PRICES UNCHANGED.

WASHINGTON: MARKET FIRM. RECEIPTS LIGHT. PRICES PAID NET FOB (PERMITTED TRANSPORTATION CHARGES INCLUDED ACCORDING TO MILEAGE) BROILERS AND FRYERS 28½-30; FOWL 26½-28; ROOSTERS 18-20.

CHICAGO: DECLINE IN LIVE POULTRY RECEIPTS DURING PAST FEW DAYS HAS MEASURABLY TIGHTENED THE SITUATION HERE WITH MOST CLASSES PRESSING CEILING MAXIMUMS. MARKET VERY FIRM. PAYING PRICES FOR GRADE A STOCK FOB: FOWL 24½-26; LEGHORN FOWL 24½-26; BROILERS, FRYERS AND ROASTERS-ROCKS 28½-29½; MIXED BREEDS 28½-29½; LEGHORN BROILERS, FRYERS 23½-24½; OLD ROOSTERS 19½-21; FARM DUCKS 25½-27; GEESE 25½-27; RECEIPTS REPORTED UP THROUGH EARLY AFTERNOON TOTAL 44 TRUCKS CARRYING 2746 COOPS. 1 CAR BY RAIL WAS RECEIVED. TOTAL SUPPLIES MONDAY WERE 164,607 POUNDS.

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